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COLONIZATION SCHEME OUTLINED

TO ASSIST COLONIZATION
Officials of Western Canada Colonization Association Explain Scheme

On the invitation of the Calgary Canadian Club and Calgary Board of Trade, a large number of men and women from various parts of Southern Alberta assembled in the Palliser Hotel on Thursday evening to hear Sir John Willison and Mr. M. A. Brown explain the methods by which the Western Canada Colonization Association proposed to increase immigration into Western Canada. Among those present from Strathmore were Mayor Hargreaves, Messrs. Bell, Borge and Van Tilt.

Sir John's Address
"The situation was never more favorable for immigration into Canada," said Sir John Willison. "The United States has practically closed its doors to the immigrant, and Canada has plenty of room for immigrants of the desirable nature, and this association will attempt to do, mainly by careful investigation of the settlers who formerly went to the United States from the Old Country and the various countries of Europe."

"The danger that we will have to provide against, however, is the undesirable who under the open door policy of the United States formerly went there, will try to enter into Canada. We can attract the desirable citizens by proper propaganda methods, but we must keep out the undesirable elements, and this association will attempt to do, mainly by careful investigation of the settlers who formerly went to the United States from the Old Country and the various countries of Europe."

"Canada seriously needs settlers of the right kind today who will contribute to the country's prosperity. Before he was the situation, the expenditure of the country amounted to \$175,600,000, now the expenditures are nearer \$260,000,000 annually. Our federal debt is now \$234,000,000 and the federal railway debt is \$1,265,000,000."

"The taxpayers of this country must meet these increased expenditures, and with increased taxes, and it is essential that we obtain more citizens to help us pay these taxes."

British Favorable
"British leaders are favorable for the immigration of citizens of Great Britain to the overseas dominions. In fact, they are more favorable toward emigration of their citizens than ever before, but they need assurance that citizens emigrating from Great Britain to the dominions will be settled in favorable conditions that will admit them to the prosperity of this country."

"The Western Canada Colonization Association is trying to do by promoting a stable colonization scheme."

"Migration from Great Britain since the war has practically ceased, but now is the time to begin it again. We do not need to take the paupers and the undesirable elements of the Old Country, but we can choose and take the better class citizens who are willing to settle themselves for life in the dominions."

"The problem is the restoration of national prosperity and the solution lies in an extensive land settlement movement," Sir John Willison said. "Settlers are available in Great Britain, the United States, in other improved countries and in Canadian urban centers."

"Millions of acres of fertile well-situated lands are available close to existing railway lines. The movement will include none but carefully selected settlers, who will be conducted directly to the land and be so located that they will not drift to the cities."

Plan Outlined
"The activities of the Colonization Association are to extend beyond the three provinces originally included. (Continued on another page)"

Hydro-Electric Scheme For South-West Alberta

Would Generate Light and Power For Towns
The question of electric light and power for Strathmore and other towns within a reasonable radius of the mountain streams has been discussed several times.

Last year Strathmore had a scheme outlined and an engineers' report prepared for a transmission line from Calgary to Strathmore, power coming from Kananaskis Falls. The scheme was feasible, and would have entailed an expense of \$40,000, but was not entertained by the Board of Public Utilities, when brought before them.

A number of towns throughout the province have power plants of their own, but the service generally is expensive, and in most cases a twenty-four hour service is not given.

It is now proposed to ask the province to install a system on somewhat the same lines as the Hydro-Electric Commission, which has provided a service in Ontario and Cominco's Samia has prepared a statement, which is concurred in by Mr. R. A. Brown, superintendent of street railways and fishing in Calgary.

Samia's Statement
The statement prepared by Cominco's Samia is as follows:

"The question of cheap power prepared by Calgary and Alberta is one of the important problems that should be gone into right away. The government reports show that practically all of the great natural waterfalls in Alberta, that are capable of economical development, are located in the foothills immediately west of Calgary. Power experts say that an expenditure of about ten million dollars in dams, canals, and transmission lines, etc., would be sufficient to abundantly supply Calgary, Edmonton, Lethbridge, Drumheller and all intervening communities. This would mean, naturally, a great third from Calgary's \$100,000 a year street railway bill and a similar reduction in the rates for lighting, electric and residences, and for industrial power."

Huge Annual Saving
"It is estimated that this would effect a saving of about a quarter of a million dollars annually to the business people and citizens of Calgary, and very much more, proportionately, to the towns and villages where electric light and power could be furnished at a fraction of the exorbitant rates they are now paying for very different services. This is a project too large for any city and should be financed by this province, as has been done in Ontario."

Cheap Power Important
"The exceedingly cheap power that would thus be made available for this city is the one thing needed to make Calgary an important milling and manufacturing centre. Those who have made a careful study of the matter say that the electrifying of the province, from this source, would certainly prove a financial success, and one that would fully repay the government all of the interest, capital charges and operating expenses from the very start. When it is remembered that during the past eleven years Calgary has paid out \$2,640,000 for electrical energy (Hydro and steam combined) the economic value of the proposed larger project at the greatly reduced prices that it involves, will be readily realized."

CARSLEND NOTES
Threshing is now in full swing hereabouts. Grain realizing from 12 to 20 bushels.

Mr. James Snell had the misfortune to break his ankle last week while working for Mr. C. Hargreaves. He was taken to the hospital in High River.

Mrs. and Mr. A. Crum were entertained a few of their many friends to a musical evening on Tuesday last week.

COMING EVENTS

Strathmore Hockey Club Dance, Friday, October 6th. Extra Good Music. Centre 11:00. Ladies 9:00. Boys per included. Everyone turn out and help the hockey boys. 27-9-22
Coming! Next month, the best vaudeville yet. Watch for posters and ads.

Next Wednesday, at the Memorial Hall, "One O'clock Day." A 2:30 o'clock presentation. Tonight, the big special "Poodle Parade."
Don't forget to be present next Monday (October 2nd) at the Harvest Home Concert and Pot Supper in the Union Church. Admission 75c. Children under 12, 25c. 27-9-22

MERRY NEWS

Miss Marie Hazen, of Keoma, was a Sunday visitor at the Chris. Hazen home.

Mr. G. Powers from B. C., who was making a call on his aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kimball of Strathmore, whom he hadn't seen since returning from the war, also called in the Harvest Home.

Mr. Laft, of Strathmore, gave a Rally Day talk at the school house. Those present from town were Mr. and Mrs. Marshall, Mr. and Mrs. Laft and children.

Some competition in the threshing business here with three threshing machines in the locality. Johnie Schultz, the two Japs, Conda and Horrah, also J. Patterson and the Snyder sis. Ought to get reduced rates.

CHEADLE NOTES

Mr. Garrison is here from Illinois looking after his grain which has been delivered to the elevator.

Mrs. Corbin is at Ruth Walker's while the crop is being hauled.

Johnie Halliday is back after three weeks' holiday in the east.

A McLaughlin salesman has been chasing one of our bachelors. What is the bid?

Mrs. J. M. Orr, of Calgary, spent a few days with her mother, Mrs. C. Orr.

Grain is coming into the elevators pretty fast now, all the machines in the district are working and crops are not turning in less than 20 bushels per acre.

Whooping Cough
There is a wave of whooping cough threatening this district from an easterly direction and I would like to warn all parents to be on guard and use all means to protect their children from exposure. It will be necessary for any family affected with the disease to remove the cases immediately, and all those suffering from the disease must remain under modified quarantine for the necessary period of time.

A. W. GIBNEY, Health Officer.
1-16-22
Rev. H. D. Mann, District Secretary of the British Foreign Bible Society, conducted services morning and evening on Sunday at Strathmore Union Church. He complimented Strathmore on their response to the appeal of the Society last year. The local organization remains the same for the forthcoming year with Mr. A. Shaw as president.

Mrs. G. Cople entertained the ladies of the Methodist church at their regular monthly meeting on Thursday last.

Mrs. Woodrow and Harkness resided in serving tea.

Mrs. and Mr. W. Greenwood are rejoicing over the birth of a son, born Thursday, September 21, in Strathmore Hospital.

Mrs. Atkinson and McWilliams spent the weekend - another home in Calgary.

Mrs. and Mr. L. C. Cutler visited Calgary last week.

Mr. Griffin, of Bellaw, visited his brother here over the weekend.

THRESHING IS NOW IN FULL SWING

Some Good Yields Reported
Threshing has been general since last Tuesday, though several outfits had been unable to start owing to shortage of help. It is reported that most in Calgary have been making it, and, rather than pay the threshermen would not start up. Workers are difficult to get just now.

Approximately 25 per cent. of the crop threshed, but the district has now been threshed, and large quantities are arriving in the elevators daily.

Twenty Bushel Average
The average dry land yield on summer-fallow so far is about twenty bushels per acre in all the district with the exception of Nightingale, Jade and Kockford, where drier conditions have decreased the yield.

Crops around Cheadle are turning out fairly good so far as threshed. Mr. Dave Smith, threshing for Mr. Tarimston, reports yields of 28 bushels per acre and 45 bushels oats on dry summer-fallow, and 25 bushels wheat and 40 bushels oats on dry stubble.

Figures are not available yet on many crops, but the following are approximately correct: A. Van Tilt, 22; J. Sin 16; Bux and Hill Bros. 20; Alfred Anderson 20; Stevens & Doyle, stubble 10 summer-fallow 25.

Big Irrigation Yields
The best irrigated yields yet reported are by Kinross Bros., south of Nightingale, two fields of wheat totalling over 100 acres having some 11

and 42 bushels respectively. B. W. Daney, on irrigated breaking, averaged 25 bushels.

In the Craigieburn irrigated district E. Dupont averaged 35 bushels, N. Anderson 26 bushels, and E. Lavard 25 bushels on irrigated stubble. The latter's best crop has not yet been threshed.

Nimaka crops are running from 15 to 35 bushels per acre.

Farmers are somewhat disappointed in the yields in many cases. The hot weather in July decreased the yield, but the crop recovered during August, and the stocks shaped up well. However, the crop obtained on dry land with the very limited amount of moisture that fell during the growing season seems excellent for the soil of the district. The most unsatisfactory feature is the price. This fluctuated violently during the week with the Turkish war scare, when being nine cents over the futures of the beginning of the week on Friday but dropping three cents on Saturday.

We would be much obliged if farmers and stockmen would let us have details of their yields for publication for the information of readers, and especially of those living outside the province.

Exhibits shown - headquarters at the Red Cross Society, 207, 7th Ave., Calgary. Several hundred people who are interested in the health problems of their growing families have called at the office to obtain pamphlets and health literature.

SUCCESSFUL SCHOOL FAIR

The fourth annual Strathmore School Fair, held yesterday was the most successful yet that has yet been held, both in numbers and quality and balance of the exhibits.

Mr. Austin, one of the judges, stated that this was one of the best fairs he had judged this year, and that the grain exhibits were the best in quality he had seen at any fair yet. He advised the winners entering the Seed Fair competition in January.

The children and onlookers greatly enjoyed the school sports run off during the afternoon. The judges were Messrs. R. Austin, P. A. McDonald, and Mesdames C. Bisset and Austin.

Splendid exhibits were forwarded from the gardens of Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Kempton, and there was a beautiful display from the C.P.I.D.

The prize list will be published in next issue of the Standard.

Humor in the Canadian Pacific Rockies as Seen by a Famous American Cartoonist

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In all sizes from 1/4 gallon to 20 gallons.

Half and 1 gallon Jugs.

3 to 6 gallon Crock Churns, all the right price.

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The plain nickel trimmings are easily kept bright.



Let us show you the comfort and convenience there is in the Regina Range. Its economy of fuel will surprise you.

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The low cost of labor-saving oak, maple or birch floors is a **SURPRISE** to many who have longed to own hardwood floors. Compare the cost of **EVER-LASTING** hardwood with the cost of ordinary linoleum, inlaid linoleum or any other advertised floor covering.

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John Mackenzie, Proprietor.

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STRATHMORE MEAT MARKET
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WHAT SHALL I DO WITH THE MONEY?

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Many a holder of the Canadian Government Bonds maturing December 1, 1922, has been asking this question. The advertisements of the Minister of

Finance supplies an answer. The investor, by giving notice to the manager of any one of the branches of a chartered bank, can arrange to get new bonds bearing the same rate of interest, the highest possible security and a liberal rate of interest.

Colonization Scheme

(Continued from front page)

so as to embrace every province in the Dominion," he continued.

"The organization will function under a board of directors thoroughly national in character, which will delegate large powers to one small operating committee for western Canada, and to a second small operating committee for eastern Canada. The head office for eastern Canada will be at Ottawa, and that for western Canada at Winnipeg.

"The plan of the association has been approved of by the provincial and Dominion governments of Canada and by the Imperial government of Great Britain, as well as the Canadian railways and Canadian private land agencies.

"It is estimated that the working out of the plan will involve the expenditure by the Canadian Colonization association alone of \$200,000,000 to \$400,000,000 within the next five or ten years. The major portion of this fund will be available from commissions earned on the sale of privately-owned lands.

"It is estimated that a minimum of ten million acres of vacant land in western Canada will be settled within the next ten years," he said.

"Incoming settlers will be located only in carefully selected, fertile districts close to existing railway lines and other facilities of civilization," he said.

"In a few years we hope to add two or three provinces to Canada by this colonization scheme," he said. "This will be reflected in the stronger financial footing of the country. Resulting from the increase in population we will have lower taxes, better educational and transportation facilities, and a better country."

"We want your sympathy, your co-operation in this scheme, and I am optimistic that it will be successful in developing Canada into a large nation," he concluded.

How Scheme Started

M. A. Brown, vice-president of the association, gave a further outline of the objects of the association. He told of the plans leading up to its organization, of its formation.

"Canadian land agents all over the country will be employed in showing land to prospective settlers and in closing or assisting to close sales," he said. "Land to be sold on a 22-year payment basis, and in the eastern provinces on terms which will be governed by local conditions and other considerations. Owners of vacant land throughout the country will be invited at once to list their lands with the colonization association for sale on a long-term basis. Local land men in Canada and the United States will be paid reasonable commissions as a commercial incentive to put all their energies behind an extensive immigration movement."

"By a special co-ordination arrangement, the Western Canada Colonization association, the provincial governments, the Dominion government, the British Imperial government and the railways will work together in the project of the colonizing of Western Canada. They will each have their various objects to carry out."

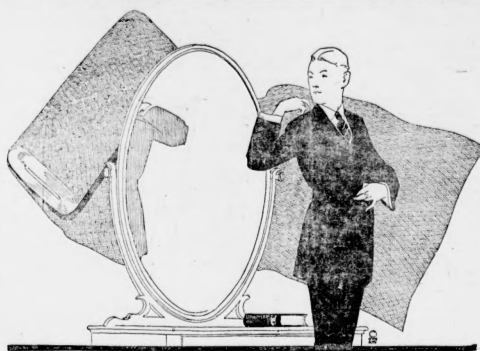
List Land For Sale

"The Western Canada Colonization association will list land for sale, assist the government to securing settlers from Great Britain, the United States and other countries; act as a national land selling agency in bringing settlers and vendors together; set up a national welfare organization, embracing local community clubs to care for incoming settlers until they become thoroughly established as successful farmers; direct the movement of British farm laborers to Canada, where they can in time become prior farmers; promote an extensive movement of British boys to Canadian farms and to encourage the migration of British women to Canada for employment on farms and in domestic service."

"The Imperial Government will assume a liberal share of the cost of the welfare work to be carried on in Canada on behalf of the incoming settlers."

"The Dominion Government will regenerate and extend the immigration agencies abroad, to stimulate the flow of qualified agricultural settlers in Canada; employ a large number of active field men abroad and carry on a widespread publicity campaign with this end in view."

"The provincial governments will assist the association in selecting suitable districts for settlement; and in directing settlers through the district agricultural representatives during the initial period of their pioneer careers and provide the association with literature regarding the agricultural attractions of the various provinces."



MEN'S HIGH GRADE CLOTHES

NEW FALL SAMPLES NOW ON DISPLAY.

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Kongoyen Rugs Size 3 x 6 feet	\$4.75
Table Mats, set of 5 different sizes, each	45¢
Honoki Splashers 14 x 46 inches, each	35¢

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Notices of entertainments, meetings, sales etc., at which admission is charged, articles sold, or a collection taken, with the exception of actual church services, will be charged for at regular advertising rates.

The Publisher is not responsible for opinions expressed by correspondents.

Collection Costs

Complaint is being made throughout the three Western provinces that creditors are pressing too hard for collection of debts at the present rate of the year. Saskatchewan has threatened to apply a moratorium if too much pressure is applied, and Manitoba is reported to be considering a similar step.

There is no mention of anything of this nature in Alberta. In part of the southern area of the province, where crops have been practically failure for some years past, a drought relief act has been established. In these districts judgment cannot be taken without consent of the commissioner of irrigation, Mr. Fream. In these districts both provincial and Dominion Governments are heavily interested, for there have been large tracts of seed grain and other relief during the past five years.

While throughout the Strathmore district we have not suffered from the effects of drought to the extent of some of these communities, yet other causes have contributed to many farmers being heavily in debt and at the present date writs are being issued in considerable numbers.

These writs represent debts actually contracted, and which should be paid, but the present process of collection is a very expensive one to the debtor. What is wanted is some form of procedure whereby a debt can be acknowledged and collected without the heavy expense of bailiff fees, court

proceedures, etc. The average creditor has no wish to drive his debtor out of business, what he wishes when he obtains a judgment is his account on good security thereof.

An extension of the system now obtaining in Southern Alberta might be a good thing. It would also have a tendency to subsidize cash for credit business, which would also be a good thing. A man is more inclined to live within his means if he has to pay cash for what he buys.

On the other hand, many people have no other assets they ought to have for the sacredness of a debt. A man will sometimes sign his name to a note promising to pay a certain amount on a certain date, and when that date arrives gives no attention to the note. The majority do not do this, but the majority are saddled with the extra costs incurred to the dealer by the neglect of the minority.

Memorial Hall Finances

The Memorial Hall is still in need of money. While it is paying its way of money, it is not paying its way of money. The Memorial Hall is still in need of money. While it is paying its way of money, it is not paying its way of money. The Memorial Hall is still in need of money. While it is paying its way of money, it is not paying its way of money.

A complete statement of the finances of the hall is being prepared and after being audited by an independent auditor, will be published in the Standard. At present the building is not adequately insured, owing to lack of funds, and money will be needed for the winter's fuel supply.

No one who has contributed to the hall has grudged the amount invested in fact, they are proud to be on the list of contributors, and have helped to erect the building. Its financial well fare should be a debt of honor on the community.

It would be willing to contribute again, but it would be better, and would put the hall in good shape financially, if those who promised their support last year would, where it is at all possible, make their contribution now. In some cases while an actual amount was not stated, it was said that the donation, where made, would be substantial.

Fruit Prices

It has been alleged that local merchants are profiteering in certain kinds of fruit, the statement having been made that prices are lower in Calgary than here in these lines.

It is certain that at times fruit prices are considerably lower in price in Calgary than here. The local merchants are not, however, making much profit on the fruit they sell. The reason given, is that the prices charged by the wholesale firms to the country retailer are more than the Calgary retailer is selling at. The main reason is that fruit being a perishable commodity, carloads are often brought to Calgary and disposed of at a sacrifice price to save spoilage. A larger consuming market exists there than in the country. Every week the wholesalers pick the best fruit from their consignments and ship it to the country, while the fruit which is ripe is sold to Calgary dealers for immediate disposal.

The situation is a difficult one to meet. It might be met by country merchants buying cooperatively or by leaving the entire fruit business in the hands of one local dealer.

In other lines than fruit, however, the local dealers are meeting and beating the Calgary prices, and while they acknowledge that the city prices of fruits in quantity is better, yet a perusal of our advertising columns will show that in other lines it is profitable to "Trade-At-Home."

Maggie and Jiggs at
The Golden Gate

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St. Peter stood guard at the golden gate. With a solemn mien and an air of state. When up to the top of the golden stair. Maggie and Jiggs, ascending there. Applied for admission; they came and stood.

Before St. Peter so great and good; in hope the city of peace to win. And asked St. Peter to let them in, Maggie was tall and dark and thin. With a scarcely beardlet on her chin. Jiggs was short and thick and stout. And his stomach was built so stout.

He rose and said, "I've told you all. His face was pleasant and all the while. He wore a kind and gentle smile. The cloth in the distance the echoes were. And Jiggs stood still while Maggie spoke.

"O thou who guardest the gate," said she. "We two come thither beseeching thee. To let us enter the heavenly land. And play our harp with the angel band."

"O me St. Peter, there is no doubt. There's nothing from heaven to bar me out. I've been to meeting three times a week. And almost always I'd rise and speak. I've told the sinners all the day. When they'd repent of their evil way. I've told the sinners I've told you all."

"But Adam and Eve and the Primordial Fall. I've shown them what they'd have to do. If they passed up with the chosen few. I've told the plan of their whole career."

"He talked and talked to 'em, loud and long. For my lungs are good and my voice is strong. So good St. Peter, you'll clearly see. The gate of heaven is open for me. But Jiggs here, I regret to say. He'd walked in exactly the narrow way."

"He smiled and swore, grave faces he. So I don't know whether hell pains or."

"He never would play with an earnest vim. Or go to revival or join in a hymn: While the city of neighbors bore. He asked about that Dinky Moore. He made a practice of staying out late which is a sin all women have."

"But at last when he did come home. The rolling pin went straight for his dome. 'I know him, St. Peter, know him well. To escape from me he'd go down to hell. But dear St. Peter, I need him here. And hope you can save my pathway clear."

"On earth I have a heavy cross. Give us in heaven with Jiggs to lose. I've brought my rolling pins, plates, and jars."

"To keep him dodging among the stars. 'But say, St. Peter, it seems to me. This gate isn't open as it ought to be. You ought to stand by that opening there."

"And never sit down in that easy chair. And say, St. Peter, my sight is dimmed."

"But I don't like the way your whiskers are trimmed. They're cut too wide with an outward tone."

"Thee'd look better narrow and straight across." St. Peter sat quiet and stroked his staff.

"But in spite of his office he had to laugh. Then said with a fery gleam in his eye. Who's doing this, Maggie, you or I?"

"And pressed a button on the wall. And said to the imp who answered the call."

"Escort this lady around to hell." Slowly Jiggs turned by habit bent. To follow Maggie wherever she went. St. Peter, standing on duty there. Observed that his head was bent.

"Jiggs, how long hasi thou been wed? And then he thoughtfully added: "Why?"

St. Peter was silent with head bowed down. He raised his head and scratched his crown. Then seeming a different thought to take. "Twenty years with that woman there. No wonder the man hasn't any hair. Swearing is wicked, smokes not good. He smoked and swore—I should think he would!"

"Thirty years with that tongue so sharp. And Gabriel! Give him a harp. A fawled harp with a golden string. Good Sir, pass in where the angels live."

And Gabriel, give him a seat alone. With a cushion, up near the throne. Call on some angels to play their lute."

"The Jiggs has surely earned a rest. He's had on fine smocks he has needs. But about all the hell he needs. I don't hardly the thing to do. I should him on earth and the future too."

"Three gave him a harp with golden wings. A striking robe and a pair of wings. At first, looking down from his high level. A thought of Maggie and Galt came for the devil—George Bradshaw, in Marquette Magazine."

AFTER THE MOVIES
AFTER THE BALL GAME
AFTER THE DAY'S WORK
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KEEP GOING!

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When someone stops adventuring, Someone stops buying, When someone stops buying,

Someone stops selling, When someone stops selling, Someone stops making, When someone stops making,

Someone stops earning, A whole lot stop earning, When a whole lot stop earning,

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SOME FACTS

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Assets : : \$219,005,682

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The Public Suffers And Pays

A newspaper despatch from Detroit on August 27 reported Henry Ford as saying that, as a result of the coal shortage caused by the strike of the miners, 100,000 employees of the Ford Motor Company throughout the United States would be thrown out of employment on September 15, and that in addition several hundred thousand other workers employed in industries furnishing materials for the Ford plants would be forced into idleness. In other words, the means of livelihood of between one and two million people would be cut off.

These hundreds of thousands of men and their families are to suffer through no act of their own, because of any dispute with their employers—because it is well-known that the Ford employees are well paid and well treated—but solely because of a labor conflict between the coal operators and the miners, and their strike being made to settle the difference of opinion by the waging of an industrial war, instead of endeavoring to reach an amicable settlement through an arbitration conference.

Who should be made the innocent victims of the unreasonableness and greed of others? Is our boasted civilization such a poor thing that leaders in public life, in finance and industry, and in the direction of organized labor, cannot devise any better method of settling their disputes by a resort to war? Are these leaders so devoid of common sense and intelligence, so lacking in an appreciation of what constitutes right and justice, that they are ready and willing to inflict loss and suffering upon hundreds of thousands of absolutely innocent men, women and children? In their refusal to see any side to the questions confronting them but that in which is bound up their own selfish interests they are surely guilty of a criminal if not far surpassing many acts punishable by severe penalties under the law.

The coal strikes in the Canadian Maritime Provinces and in Western Canada have been settled and the miners have returned to work, but only after enormous and quite unnecessary losses have been inflicted upon both parties to the dispute, which might just as well, and ought to have been, settled by conferences before the strikes took place instead of after the strikes. Miners and mine owners alike have lost money, the public exchequer has been put to heavy and unwarrented expense—all of which the public must, in the final analysis, pay.

And now, with what is generally admitted to be the second heaviest grain crop in the history of the Dominion to be transported by rail and boat to the markets on the world just beginning to move, our transportation systems will likewise be called upon to handle an enormous volume of coal traffic in order to fill up empty coal sheds and bins which ought to have been handled during the slack months in grain movement. Instead of our transportation systems being enabled to spread the freight movement over a long period, they must cope with two peak loads at one and the same time.

Just what this means is further less than accurately be estimated, but anyone at all familiar with the subject knows that the loss will be considerable because the business must be carried for the most expensive time of the year, the most expensive way, here again, the public must pay. The loss will fall upon them. This is clearly revealed in present and prospective coal prices and also in the warnings being issued of the probable difficulty of obtaining adequate supplies of coal when they are needed.

Alas! altogether from any question as to whether the miners or the mine owners are primarily responsible for these huge losses and inconvenience to the public, there is the much greater loss of the rights of people generally. Politicians must stop party-fighting and abandon their attitude of timidity in dealing with the two opposing forces of Capital and Labor. Each is a great force and power in the nation. Each is essential to the well-being and prosperity of the country. Neither can get along without the other. But great and important as they are, there is a still greater force and power and one which constitutes a much more vital factor in the commonwealth—that is the whole people, in other words, the nation itself.

Politicians, instead of striving to gain the support of this particular group or that, or rather endeavoring not to antagonize either, must take a decided stand and tell both that this suicidal strike nonsense must cease, and that labor disputes must be settled in a sane and intelligent manner through processes similar to those provided by courts of law for the settlement of all other civil disputes.

Must Grab Fast

"Yes," said the timid passenger to the alpine pilot, "I understand I'm to sit still and not be afraid, and all that, but tell me, if something happens and we fall, what do I do?"

"Oh, that's easy," said the pilot. "Just grab anything we're passing and hang on tight."

Of 35,000 miles of French roads in need of repairs at the close of the war 15,000 miles have already been repaired and 2,000 miles have been completely and permanently repaired.

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British Capital May Open Branch Plants

Manufacturers Eager to Have Goods Produced in Canada
F. W. Field, British Trade Comptroller, who returned to Toronto after two months in England studying trade conditions there, states that there is every cause for optimism. Generally speaking, he said, the outlook was brighter than it was a year ago and there was a better feeling among the business men of Britain.

One of the most popular features, said Mr. Field, was that hundreds of representatives of British businesses were at present travelling about the world seeking markets and investigating conditions. Many of these men, he said, would visit Canada, where their capital was again beginning to seek an outlet.

British manufacturers, he explained, were anxious to enter into co-operative relations with Canadian factories and distributors. Not only were they eager to place their money in Canadian enterprises, but they were also seeking to make arrangements for the manufacturing under joint direction of their own plants and Canadian factories already established.

While it was true that British capital, in the form of loans, contemplated investment in Canada through the establishment of branch plants, the general tendency was to make use of the manufacturing facilities already established in Canada for the production of their goods.

WHEN WOMEN SUFFER

Look for weakness or ill-health. See if there is not a side ache, headache, nervousness, etc. These are the symptoms indicate that you need the special assistance Dr. Hamilton's Pills. This soothing medicine is a great friend to womanhood. They are a wonderful relief to nervousness, they clear up sick headache, remove water and bile from the system, and give you no other medicine and get only one Dr. Hamilton's Pills to relieve you from all your troubles. It is smooth running order, 25c all dealers or The Catochene Co., Montreal.

Women Losing Little Toes

In support of his contention that women are losing their little toes, a scientist points out that in the days of ancient Greece women had three joints to her little toe while it is now known that Egyptian women had four. Nowadays normal women have only two joints, while there are many cases in which only one joint is found.

SUMMER COMPLAINTS KILL LITTLE ONES

At the first sign of illness during the hot season give the little ones Baby's Own Tablets or in a few hours they may be beyond aid. These Tablets will prevent summer complaints and are occasionally the only relief and will promptly relieve these troubles if they come on suddenly. Baby's Own Tablets will relieve these troubles in every home where there are young children. There is no other medicine as good and the mother has the guarantee of a government analyst that the tablets are safe. The tablets are sold by medicine dealers or by mail to 25c a box from Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

How They Do It In Europe

Revert to Barter System to Overcome Exchange Problem

Barter, or the exchange of goods, as against the transfer of actual cash has figured in recent international news, according to the Geneva correspondence of the London Observer. In this way the difficulties of exchange have been overcome.

Rumania wanted a loan of 5,000,000 gold francs from Switzerland. The Swiss said it was impossible unless they know how the money was to be spent. Rumania replied: "We need to replenish railroad rolling stock, particularly engines."

"Fine," said the Swiss bankers, "we have these for sale. Take them, and pay for them in cereals and petroleum, both of which you produce and we need. Thus were the arrangements concluded."

Similar borrowing and paying by barter also has taken place between Czechoslovakia, here again, Czechoslovakia is receiving Swiss manufactured goods and is to pay for them with truck loads of sugar. Therefore, the question of exchange and the comparative values of the Czechoslovakian krene and the Swiss franc does not arise.

Healthiest Year

Figures compiled by thirty-seven life insurance companies show that 1921 was the healthiest year for Canada of which there is any record.

Ask for Minard's and take no others.

There are no taxes of any kind in the Island of Alderney.

W. N. U. 1459

Relief Is Found From Stomach Trouble

Hope for the millions of unfortunate men and women who are victims of stomach trouble is sounded by Lawrence Grant, 501 Bannatyne Ave., Winnipeg, Man. Mr. Grant was a victim of stomach trouble for many years but was completely restored to health by taking Taniaf. He says:

"I began suffering from a stubborn case of stomach trouble two years ago and got into bad shape. The first bottle of Taniaf helped me and soon the stomach trouble disappeared. I gained eight pounds and am now in fine health."

"Indigestible food ferments in the stomach and soon the entire system is filled with poisons. Taniaf was designed to restore the stomach to a healthy condition and build up the whole body. Millions everywhere have reclaimed its wonderful power. Get it today."

For sale at all good druggists.

Radio a "Gusher"

Many Millions Will Be Lost in New Industry

Within the last three months at least 1,250 new corporations have been organized to manufacture radio apparatus. All of these cannot have the best technical skill back of them, and many of these new corporations must fail. Hundreds of thousands of people throughout the country think that this is the new "gusher" and that it will bring back in dividend many times the principal invested. Many people would think twice before investing their money in oil and gold securities, but when the magic word "radio" is whispered they never hesitate.

The tremendous strides of the radio industry within the last few months and make up their minds that the dollar they worked so hard to get out of the bank and get into radio. There have been millions lost in oil and mines but there will be many more millions lost in radio. The situation is well on the way to parallel that of the stock market. The tremendous enthusiasm created, unscrupulous promoters and so-called "experts" are relieving small investors of their savings. In addition to the best engineering and financial facilities there are always the many technical and marketing problems which must be solved before investments can pay back one penny on their principal. There is always the danger of patents and recent investigations have disclosed the astounding fact that 57 radio manufacturers at the present time are infringing upon each other's patents, and at least 1,000 other manufacturers are infringing on the patents of several other radio companies. Of course the person who invests his money in these concerns must suffer. Let the investor, before placing a dollar in any business, study it thoroughly. Let him find out whether the man he backs is a reputable business man or an unscrupulous operator, and sometimes even that is hard to ascertain—ask the Toronto Telegram.

Business Is Business

In announcing that Britain would pay her debt to the United States, Premier Lloyd George also announced that Britain's allies would have to pay her.

Thus ends the romantic notion that the nations, dismissing all economic considerations, would forgive each other their debts and have a good cry on each other's shoulders—Kansas City Star.

No Rest From Business

Impossible to Escape It Even On Ocean Liner

A sea voyage on a fairly comfortable liner that took a voyager for six or seven days out of reach of telegrams or telephones or daily newspapers used to be the ideal way to obtain a short rest, by getting away from the hurly-burly of "quoddy" life. But the liners have become swifter, wireless telegraphy has come along to invade the quiet and seclusion of the sea, the radio-telephone has brought the bustling world aboard every steamer of considerable size, and now the last straw had been added by the publication of Neptune News, a daily newspaper printed on all the ships of the United States lines. Soon there will be no spot on sea or land safe from the intrusion of insistent mail and "business"—Christian Science News.

Radium Institute

Quebec Government Prepares For Opening in Montreal

The Quebec Government has now everything set for the opening of the Radium Institute in Montreal in accordance with the announcement made by Premier Taschereau.

At a recent meeting held at Quebec it was decided to purchase one gram of radium from the United States Radium Company of New York, at the rate of seventy-seven dollars per milligram.

Muscular Rheumatism Subdued—When one is a sufferer from muscular rheumatism he cannot do better than to have the region rubbed with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Let the rubbing be brisk and continue until the pain is secured. There is more virtue in this oil of than can be fully estimated.

Silk substitute has been manufactured from the web of a spider native to the island of Madagascar. It is claimed the product is far superior in many respects to anything that has ever been devised from real silk.

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New Stock Feeding Plan

Finish Sheep and Hogs on Cleanings Of Western Elevators

A Vancouver syndicate is being organized to finish sheep and hogs on cleanings of western elevators. Cleanings contain a large percentage of noxious weeds, which still make good feed for stock. The danger in feeding promiscuously is that the seeds might become scattered and create a noxious weed problem. The plan is to centralize the stock in feed centers where no danger of spread of noxious weeds could exist. The plan is receiving very serious consideration by elevator and packing plant men.

Sturdy Wear

After you have worn Stanfield's Underwear for an entire winter and find it just as good as the day you bought it, you begin to appreciate the sterling quality, the masterly workmanship and the sturdy wear of this most famous of Canadian-made Underwear.

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Ladies' homespun skirts in a nice choice of plaids and plain colors, prices, \$9.75, \$10.50, \$12.75

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For kimono. Grey and blue, reversible at the yard

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Heavy cloth overcoats with leather lined throughout

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Fly reels, sure catch,

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Toilet paper, 7 rolls

for 50c

Eddys Silent Matches

large packet 40c

Van Camps Solid

Pack Pumpkin, per

can 25c

Choice spinach, per

can 28c

Choice Quaker Tomatoes,

5 cans 95c

Extra choice, white

Sultana Raisins, 2 lb

for 45c

Sun Maid Seedless

Raisins, 5 lb 95c

Seeded Raisins, 2

packets 35c

Royal Excelsior dates

2 packets 25c

Lyle's Golden Syrup,

2 lb tin 35c

Pure Maple Syrup, 1/2

gallon tin \$1.25

Green Peanuts 15c

Roasted Peanuts 2 lb

for 35c

Shelled Walnuts, per

lb 65c

Shelled Almonds per

lb 65c

Swans Down Cake

Flour, per packet 50c

Excella Cake Mixture

per packet 25c

SEALERS

Sealers are about sold out, but we have a few cases of the

"Kerr Self Sealers",

quarts per doz. \$1.60

Local Notings

• OF LOCAL INTEREST
• Readers are requested to send in items for this column not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon preceding day of publication. All local news items are welcomed by the Standard. Phone 17 or 68

Miss Mary and Mr. Robert Stockton, Jr. left last week for Banamu, Montana, where they are entering college. They were the guests at several entertainments arranged by the young folks during the last week.

The Hockey Club are putting on a dance on October 6th to realize funds for the new rink, which is now fenced. They are relaxing no effort to make it one of the best ever held in Strathmore, and they deserve support. Details will be found in our ad. columns and from posters.

The curling club are still after members for the proposed rink. Over \$400 has now been collected, but considerably more will be required. Any one interested and willing to join should hand in their names and subscriptions either to Mr. W. G. Wainwright, or Mr. G. H. Vickers, secretary.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Greenwood, Caretaker at Strathmore Hospital on September 20th.

Mrs. R. S. Stockton left last week on a five weeks visit to her mother in Colorado.

The editor has been indulging lately in seven and eight inch corn cobs grown by Mr. Freeman at Irrigation Headquarters. Who says we can't grow corn—and eat it.

Mr. Wm. Jones, a real old-timer, who has resided in Strathmore, was in town last week, engaged in land valuing. Mr. Jones came to Winnipeg in 1872, and was one of the survey party who originally staked out the section lines in this part of Alberta. He is a fine testimonial to the healthfulness of the west, for he does not look anywhere near his actual age.

The Calgary "Albertan" has a nasty crack at Basamu when it states that one citizen of Calgary has given it as his opinion that rather than spend \$350,000 on a sewage disposal plant it would be cheaper to pay a quarter of the amount and buy Basamu.

The churches of the Anglican and Union congregations are uniting for a Come-To-Church campaign during the month of October. A special effort is being made to bring the churches' claims before all the people of Strathmore and district. It is hoped that all members of the congregation will spread the invitations and bring their neighbors to the service. The ministers will try to give a fair interpretation of the value of the church to everyone. Let us all make October a big rally month for the church of our choice.

Some of the local storekeepers are losing business by not rising early enough in the mornings. On Monday morning we noticed several early risers trying to do a little business before nine a.m. without result. General stores, etc., are doing business by 8 a.m. The early customers whatever worms there are around.

Now that the hottest weather is over, golf is again becoming popular, and a tournament is now in progress on the local links.

The Municipality of Kooma has set the Municipal rate for this year at 1 mill. This with the reduction of the hall insurance rate to five per cent, means a considerable saving to ratepayers over last year's taxes. During the year the Municipality have made much progress in collecting arrears, and are in a good financial position.

A phone has now been installed in Kooma Municipality Office.

Prior to her death, Mrs. Newall, Nightingale, gave expression to a wish to thank her friends publicly for the many kindnesses shown her during her illness.

No trace has been found of the man Ellis, who victimized a number of local merchants a week ago Saturday with forged cheques. As a safeguard against further cases of this kind Mr. J. H. Tupper advises cheque payees to be careful in signing their names, and not to sign in pencil. Merchants are advised not to cash cheques without a personal identification. Being otherwise is simply putting a premium on crime.

Miss Gladys, of Minneapolis, is visiting her father, John Rex, and other relatives.

Reception to Rev.
and Mrs. Currie

On Thursday evening members of St. Michael's Church and friends gathered in large numbers at the Memorial Hall to do honor to Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Currie, who were west a couple of weeks ago.

The early part of the evening was spent in cards, and later the company assembled in the dining room, where supper was served by the ladies of the church.

Following on the supper Mr. and Mrs. Currie were presented, on behalf of those present, with a sum of money. The presentation was made by Mr. G. H. Patrick, who at the same time wished the newly-weds many years of health and happiness.

Rev. Currie responded on his own behalf and for Mrs. Currie, thanking the company for their great kindness to him. He was very fond of Strathmore and district, and he would be here for many years to grow up with the town and district. Felicitous remarks were also made by Rev. A. H. Rowe, Dr. Glavin, and Mr. John Mackenzie, following which a pleasant hour was spent in dancing. Mr. and Mrs. Currie have now taken up residence in the parsonage.

FOX'S STORE, Strathmore

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5½ per cent Canada's
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Issued in 1917 and Maturing 1st December, 1922.

CONVERSION PROPOSALS

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers to holders of these bonds who desire to continue their investment in Dominion of Canada securities the privilege of exchanging the maturing bonds for new bonds bearing 5½ per cent interest, payable half yearly, of either of the following classes:—

- Five year bonds, dated 1st November, 1922, to mature 1st November, 1927.
- Ten year bonds, dated 1st November, 1922, to mature 1st November, 1932.

While the maturing bonds will carry interest to 1st December, 1922, the new bonds will commence to earn interest from 1st November, 1922, GIVING A BONUS OF A FULL MONTH'S INTEREST TO THOSE AVAILING THEMSELVES OF THE CONVERSION PRIVILEGE.

This offer is made to holders of the maturing bonds and is not open to other investors. The bonds to be issued under this proposal will be substantially of the same character as those which are maturing, except that the exemption from taxation does not apply to the new issue.

Holders of the maturing bonds who wish to avail themselves of the conversion privilege should take their bonds AS EARLY AS POSSIBLE, BUT NOT LATER THAN SEPTEMBER 30th, to a Branch of any Chartered Bank in Canada and receive in exchange an official receipt for the bonds surrendered, containing an undertaking to deliver the corresponding bonds of the new issue.

Holders of maturing fully registered bonds, interest payable by cheque from Ottawa, will receive their December 1 interest cheque as usual. Holders of coupon bonds will detach and retain the last unexpired coupon before surrendering the bond itself for conversion purposes.

The surrendered bonds will be forwarded by banks to the Minister of Finance at Ottawa, where they will be exchanged for bonds of the new issue, in fully registered, or coupon registered or coupon bearer form carrying interest payable 1st May and 1st November of each year of the duration of the loan, the first interest payment accruing and payable 1st May, 1923. Bonds of the new issue will be sent to the banks for delivery immediately after the receipt of the surrendered bonds.

The bonds of the maturing issue which are not converted under this proposal will be paid off in cash on the 1st December, 1922.

W. S. FIELDING,
Minister of Finance.

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.

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